

August 5, 2005

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Ex Parte* Presentation in CC Docket 95-116

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to inform you that Tom McGarry, Marcel Champagne, and the undersigned, all of NeuStar, Inc. (NeuStar), met August 4, 2005 with Narda Jones, Cheryl Callahan, Pam Slipakoff, and Marilyn Jones of the Wireline Competition Bureau and Walter Johnston of the Office of Engineering and Technology.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the background and purpose of the North American Numbering Council (NANC) Change Orders 399 and 400. Consistent with the points provided in the attached presentation NeuStar representatives requested that the Commission lift the abeyance directive on NANC Change Orders 399 and 400. The two change orders are severable and both are consistent with the number portability policies established by the FCC, which ensure that the number portability performance criteria allow for improvement and evolution over time. The fields added by the change orders are directly analogous to existing service routing fields in the Number Portability Administration Center (NPAC) such as CNAM and voice mail. There are no changes to any NPAC portability processes and the fields do not require companies that are not currently users of the NPAC to become users.

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In accordance with the Commission's rules, one electronic copy of this letter and the accompanying presentation are being submitted via the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned at 202-533-2912.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/
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